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Application of: Serafini

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Examiner: Voitach, Joseph T.

For: COLLECTIONS OF TRANSGENIC ANIMAL LINES (LIVING LIBRARY) Attorney Docket No.: 10239-010

PROVISIONAL ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.143 WITH TRAVERSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated July 22, 2002, in which the Examiner imposed a restriction requirement, please enter the amendments below and consider the remarks below. Applicant submit concurrently herewith:

- (a) an Amendment Fee Transmittal Sheet; and
- (b) a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a period of one (1) month up to and including Sunday, September 22, 2002, accompanied by authorization to charge the appropriate fee.

REMARKS

Restriction has been required under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of the following inventions: